

MEDIA ADVISORY

Date: January 20, 2010

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Attention: All Pet Owners in Need of Housing for Evacuated Animals

If you are evacuated from your home and have pets, the Department of Animal Care and Control (DACC) encourages you to first consider leaving your pets with relatives or friends. However, DACC is available for emergency housing, if needed.

If you are a evacuated from unincorporated LaCrescenta, the closest location accepting animals:

Baldwin Park Animal Shelter-4275 N. Elton St., Baldwin Park, 91706, (626) 430-2378

There will be temporary housing available at LaCanada High School, located at 4463 Oak Grove Dr., La Canada, 91011. DACC will be offering transportation assistance, if needed, to the Baldwin Park Animal Shelter.

If you are evacuated from unincorporated Acton, the closest locations are:

- Castaic Animal Shelter, 31044 N. Charlie Canyon Rd., Castaic, 91384, (661) 702-7098
- Lancaster Animal Shelter, 5210 W. Avenue I, Lancaster, 93536, (661) 974-8358

If you own equine or large livestock, you may take them to:

- Pierce College- 6201 Winnetka Ave. Woodland Hills, 91371
- Antelope Valley Fairgrounds- 2551 West Ave. H, Lancaster, 93534

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Shelter Locations

Downey Shelter 11258 S. Garfield Ave. Downey, CA 90242 (562) 940-6898

Carson Shelter 216 W. Victoria St. Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 523-9566

Baldwin Park Shelter 4275 N. Elton St. Baldwin Park, CA 91706 (626) 962-3577

Lancaster Shelter 5210 W. Avenue I Lancaster, CA 93536 (661) 940-4191

Castaic Shelter 31044 N. Charlie Cyn. Road Castaic, CA 91384 (661) 257-3191

Agoura Shelter 29525 Agoura Rd. Agoura, CA 91301 (818) 991-0071

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